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Torben Laesgaard Nissen, *et al.*

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RESPONSE to RESTRICTION

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Sir:

The following is submitted in response to the Requirement for Restriction/Election dated November 5, 2004 in the above-referenced application.

A petition for one-month extension of time accompanies this paper, extending the period of response through January 5, 2005.

- o Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.